

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FAMILY INVESTMENT ADMINISTRATION		TEMPORARY CASH ASSISTANCE MANUAL
MINOR PARENT SCHOOL SANCTIONS – 1007	COMAR 07.03.03.19	NON-COMPLIANCE 1000

1007 SANCTIONS FOR NON-COMPLIANCE WITH MINOR PARENT SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Minor parents and the minor spouse of a minor parent are required to be enrolled in school and attending 80 percent of the time, if they have not graduated. Failure to be registered in or attend school is non-compliance. (See Section 600 of this manual – Minor Parents for details on compliance.)
- B. PPI requirements do not apply to minor parents.
- C. Good cause must be investigated.
- D. If the minor parent who is not enrolled in school is a child on the TCA case, the individual needs of the minor parent are removed from the TCA. The minor parent is not removed. (This could occur at application and on an active case.)
 - The needs of the individual are removed until the sanction is cured.
- E. If the minor parent is head of household or married to the head of household the TCA case is closed.
 - The TCA case remains closed until the sanction is cured
- F. If the spouse of the minor parent is also a minor, he or she must be registered in and attending school 80 percent of the time.
- G. School registration and attendance must be verified.
- H. The minor parent must comply for 30 days before the benefit is continued.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- TCA Manual, Section 1002, Conciliation Process
- TCA Manual, Section 600, Minor Parent